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Holland Shepherd
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
355 West North Temple
Salt Lake City, UT 84180-1203

SUBJECT: Revision of Mining and Reclamation Plan - Barneys Canyon Gold Mine
State Identifier Number: UT920827-080

Dear Mr. Shepherd:

The Resource Development Coordinating Committee, representing the State of Utah, has reviewed this proposed revision. The Division of Wildlife Resources comments:

Sometimes the ponds and canals associated with this type of mining operation create a death hazard to wildlife that can generally be minimized with modifications. The Division of Wildlife Resources requests annual reports of wildlife losses directly related to this operation. Such reports will aid us in monitoring losses. If losses are outside acceptable levels, modifications may be requested.

The reports should be sent to the Division of Wildlife Resources, Central Region Office, Attention: Habitat Manager, 1115 North Main, Springville, Utah 84663.

The Committee appreciates the opportunity to review this proposal. Please direct any other written questions regarding this correspondence to the Utah State Clearinghouse at the above address or call Carolyn Wright at (801) 538-1535 or John Harja at (801) 538-1559.

Sincerely,

Brad T. Barber
State Planning Coordinator

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